

NEWSBOY HERO OF FIRE IN BROOKLYN

Climbs Awning Post and Releases Ladder From Fire Escape.

MORE THAN SIXTY PERSONS RESCUED

Fire Patrolman and Police Take Women and Children From Burning Building.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The bravery of a newsboy, who was too scared to give his name, saved more than a score of lives in a fire that destroyed a big tenement, at 775 Grand street, in the Williamsburg section of Brooklyn early today.

The boy clambered up an awning post alongside of the burning building and cut loose a fire escape ladder which was tied fast with ropes, getting down in time to permit men and women trapped on a platform of the escape to reach the ground, just as the flames broke through the windows alongside of which they had been standing.

The fire was marked by many brilliant rescues by police and firemen. Policeman Newhauser climbed up a ladder to the second story of the rear of the burning building, and dropped ten children, ranging in age from one year to seven, into the arms of a fellow officer, O'Callaghan, who stood on the sidewalk below.

Fire Patrolmen Lerner and Donohue rescued a woman and two children from the third floor with scaling ladders. More than sixty persons were carried from the burning structure. The fire, which was of incendiary origin, gutted the tenement.

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DEATHS

CHURCHMAN—On Sunday, February 12, 1911, ISABELLA, wife of the late Thomas and mother of Rev. James E. Churchman, of Orange, N. J.

Relative and friends are invited to attend funeral services at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Harris, 304 Eighteenth street northwest, Monday, February 13, at 7:30 p. m. Services and interment at Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Gainesville, Va., Tuesday, February 14, at 2 p. m.

CLEVENGER—On Sunday, February 12, 1911, in Philadelphia, BENJAMIN F. CLEVENGER, aged sixty-six years.

Relative and friends are invited to attend the funeral services at his late residence, 1920 Poplar street, Philadelphia, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock precisely.

COWLES—Suddenly, on February 12, 1911, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Jane S. Duval, 2512 Wisconsin avenue northwest, CHARLOTTE S. COWLES, aged seventy-seven years.

Funeral services at late residence, at 11 a. m., Tuesday, February 14. Friends invited. Interment (private) at Oak Hill.

CURTIN—At Tuberculosis Hospital, at 9:40 p. m., on Friday, February 10, 1911, MARY E. CURTIN.

Funeral from residence of her sister, 18 Seventh street northeast, on Tuesday, February 14, services at St. Joseph's Church at 9 o'clock.

DICKSON—On February 11, 1911, at 12 p. m., at his residence, 1115 Fifteenth street northwest, THEOPHILUS N. DICKSON, of Knoxville, Tenn., husband of Helen Dyon Dickson.

Funeral Tuesday, February 14, at 2 p. m., from Plymouth Congregational Church, Seventeenth and P streets northwest. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

(Knoxville, Tenn., and Columbus, Ohio, papers please copy.)

FLOOD—On February 12, 1911, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Samuel L. Willett, 23 E. 23rd street northeast, a brief illness, WILLIAM HENRY FLOOD, husband of Mary V. Flood, in his seventy-seventh year.

Funeral service at St. Dominic's Church Wednesday morning, February 15, at 10 o'clock. Interment private.

GARDNER—On Sunday, February 12, 1911, at 10:15 a. m., at his residence, 2411 Eye street northwest, ALEXANDER G., husband of Jennie Gardner. He leaves six daughters and one son, two sisters and three brothers, none three grandchildren.

HAVLAND—On Tuesday, February 14, 1911, at 10 a. m., at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Hilton, MARY A. HAVLAND, formerly of New York city.

Funeral at her residence, 202 Quincy street northwest, on Wednesday, the 15th instant, at 2 p. m. Interment private. (New York and Brooklyn papers please copy.)

HOWENSTEIN—On Saturday, February 11, 1911, at 4:45 a. m., at Washington Grove, Md., WILLIS OWEN HOWENSTEIN, husband of Lila B. Howenstein, residence, Irving Chevy Chase, Md.

Funeral Monday, February 13, at 2 o'clock, from St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Fourteenth street and Columbia road northwest. Friends and relatives invited. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

LANCASTER—On Saturday, February 11, 1911, at 6:30 a. m., WILLIAM H. Lancaster, of Christie Lancaster and son of Elizabeth and the late James Lancaster and brother of J. C. and John P. Lancaster and Mrs. Emma Clayton and Ella Watkins.

Funeral from his late residence, 26 Howard avenue, Anacostia, Tuesday, February 14, at 8:30 o'clock, thence to St. Cyril's Church, Thirtieth and C streets southeast, where high mass will be sung for the repose of his soul.

LORD—Suddenly, on Monday, February 13, 1911, P. L. CHAPMAN, husband of Jennie Lord.

Funeral from his late residence, 610 Fifth street northwest, on Wednesday, February 15, at 10 o'clock a. m. Funeral strictly private. Please omit flowers.

McMAHON—On Friday, February 10, 1911, at St. Margaret's Hospital, HAMMOND, IND. PATRICK McMAHON, formerly of Georgetown, D. C., aged fifty-two years.

Funeral will take place from John B. McCarthy's undertaking establishment, 338 3d street northwest, Tuesday, February 14, at 8:30 a. m. Services at Holy Trinity church, 9 a. m.

MILLS—At Riverside, Conn., on February 12, 1911, MARTHA RANSOM, aged one year and twenty-four days, daughter of Frederick C. and Sadie R. Mills.

PHILLIPS—On Monday, February 13, 1911, at 10:30 a. m., ERSIE M. PHILLIPS, wife of Edgar L. Phillips.

Funeral from the residence, 523 H street southwest, Thursday, at 2 p. m. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

ROBBY—On Saturday, February 11, 1911, at 10:30 p. m., at her residence, 1903 Good Hope road, Anacostia, OCTAVIA ROBBY, widow of Sebastian Robby, in the seventy-sixth year of her age.

Funeral from her residence on Wednesday, February 15, at 2:30 p. m. Friends invited.

SEBRIN—On Monday, February 13, at midnight, at Washington Hospital, CHARLES SEBRIN, aged forty-three, beloved husband of Ophelia Sebrin (nee Paulsen). Funeral Thursday.

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CHAMBER TO GET PRINTING REPORT

Action to Be Taken Tonight on Power Presses—Mr. Ryan's Views.

The special Chamber of Commerce committee investigating the merits of hand and power printing of money, checks and bonds, will report tonight to the Chamber. Much interest is taken in the attitude the Chamber may assume, while the plate printers insist that the determination, as between hand and power printing, will go far to determine the future of the artistic engraving art in connection with making Government securities.

"The effort to displace the hand roller presses, headed by Reed Smoot, in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, and to introduce power press printing, is a most interesting question," said P. J. Ryan, the Central Labor Union delegate to the Chamber of Commerce.

Stands on Merits. Mr. Ryan is a plate printer. He says the hand press printer is right, and stands on the merits of his art, having in view the interests of the art, the protection of the people, and the benefit that will accrue provided the hand press system prevails.

"Mr. Smoot, as chairman of the Committee on Printing, in a bill to revise the printing laws provides for displacement of hand roller presses," he continued. "Economy is the argument by Mr. Smoot, who is willing to sacrifice the plate printer's art and all the safeguards now thrown around the printing of our money for the success of his project. He stands for the ultra commercial 'good enough' theory, and says if the law is passed he will finally save over \$750,000 each year for the government and follows it up that not a man or woman now employed in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing will lose his or her place. This seems to be a contradiction in terms and the question is asked, how he is going to save money without a discharge?"

"Of course, the printer does not appeal to Congress because anyone is to lose his place, but puts forth this argument only because it has been forced upon him."

No Thought for Art.

"The Senator has no thought or care for artistic printing, and when he is informed upon high authority, namely, by such men as George P. Foster, chairman of the executive committee of Plate Printers' Local, No. 2, and S. Edward Beach, hand press and power press expert, that the standard of printing and engraving will be materially lowered and danger of counterfeiting increased, the argument is but a trifle in his opinion."

"Since the controversy has again arisen, and in order to bolster up an argument for the power presses, forty impressions were printed from a specially engraved plate, with great care and under the most favorable circumstances, as specimens of power press printing, the object of this being to print these impressions from power presses and have specimens of hand work selected, of course, by the advocates of the power press, placed alongside of these choice specimens of power printing, then ask our experts to tell the difference."

Not Fair Comparison.

"This is not fair, for you cannot get the general character of power-press work from forty impressions printed for the sole purpose of making the argument hold water. Their case is most desperate when they resort to such tactics."

"There is less counterfeiting in this country than in any other. The people have more confidence in their security, because of the high character of the hand printer's art. Do away with the hand press and artistic engraving, and you open the doors to the counterfeiter."

TO PREVENT THE GRIP.

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IN MEMORIAM

FLETCHER—In loving remembrance of my dear husband, JOSEPH FLETCHER, who departed this life two years ago today, February 14, 1909.

God called him home to do His will, but in my heart I love him still; his memory is as dear today, as in the hour he passed away.

—By His Wife and Children.

WEAVER—In sad but loving remembrance of our dear son, RICHARD R. WEAVER, who departed this life eight years ago today, February 14, 1903.

Eight years ago it was, when one we loved so well, left this world of toil and care, and went with God to dwell.

We soothe him in his hour of pain, while he was spared to earth, and while he rests in peaceful sleep, we know his precious work is done.

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CLAIMS RECIPROCITY VICTORY FOR TAFT

Representative Fassett Says Champ Clark Cannot Steal President's Thunder.

Representative J. Sloat Fassett of New York, while at the White House, today, raised the interesting question whether the President "had swallowed" Champ Clark or Champ Clark had swallowed the President in their advocacy of reciprocity with the world. The New Yorker pointed out that at the Pan-American meeting yesterday the Democratic leader had come out for reciprocity with all nations which wanted it, and that in a few minutes the President had come along with a speech exactly to the same effect.

Going a little further Mr. Fassett said that the present reciprocity measure now before the House would be a Taft victory, if victory came, and would not be a Clark victory however solidly the Democrats stood together.

The pressure of the united Democrats and Republicans will make a combination that will roll over all of us," he added.

At any rate the point has been raised whether the President or Champ Clark is the real leader of the present reciprocity movement, a movement which now threatens to embrace all South American countries and those of Central America as well.

Clark Member of Cabinet. Mr. Clark called at the White House this morning. He came half an hour after Mr. Fassett had gone. Some of his friends immediately surrounded him and put the question squarely to him: "Are you following the Administration on reciprocity?"

"No," was the next speaker. "The Administration has come over to us." With that he went into the President's office. As he came out he said, smiling, that he had been taken by courtesy into the President's Cabinet. He said the Administration had lately become good enough Democrats to fraternize with him. He added that he was sorry that he could not stay longer with the department heads.

Gen. Leonard Wood, Chief of Staff of the Army, called at the Executive offices this morning and said as he left that the situation from a military standpoint was satisfactory at El Paso. He said troops were quartered on the border to protect the irrigation dam just across the line from depositions. Further than this, he said the troops had nothing to do.

Lodge Is Hopeful.

While at the White House, this morning, Senator Lodge said he felt more hopeful over the chances of getting a vote on the tariff commission bill which he has fathered in the Senate. He said the only question about its passage was the shortness of the time. Night sessions undoubtedly would be necessary he added.

The President held a conference today with Senators Burton and Dick of Ohio. It is understood the Ohio judgeship was considered, though both Senators declined to affirm the report. Senator Burton said he did not see how either the tariff board bill or the reciprocity measure would get through without an extra session.

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NEW PARK PROJECT IN DISTRICT BILL

Purchase of Carpenter-Pennsylvania Tract for \$210,000 Provided.

Senator Bankhead of Alabama succeeded in getting put into the District appropriation bill today a provision for the purchase of the Carpenter-Pennsylvania tract, located in southeast Washington, for park purposes.

The method by which this was accomplished was unusual. The District bill passed the Senate yesterday. Senator Bankhead was absent at that time, and today he asked a reconsideration of the bill, in order that this amendment might be inserted. Senator Gallinger, in charge of the bill, consented, and the bill was reconsidered and the amendment adopted.

The amendment carries an appropriation of \$210,000. The amount of ground to be purchased is 121 acres. The project is expected to be one of the most beautiful in the city. It has been under consideration before Congress for a considerable time, and recently was acted on favorably by the Senate Public Buildings and Grounds Committee, although the amount of the appropriation allowed was reduced.

Senator Wetmore introduced an amendment to the sundry civil bill for the purchase of the Graceland Cemetery tract for park purposes.

A report was made by Senator Wetmore from the Library Committee in favor of the Bacon bill to purchase a bust and a portrait of Chief Justice Fuller for the Supreme Court. The sum of \$1,500 is allowed for each.

When the Doctors Agree.

First Physician—Can you make anything out of the patient's trouble?
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MOTION TO QUASH HANDBOOK CHARGE

Attorney for Patrick Malone Files Plea in Police Court.

A motion to quash the charges against Patrick Malone, one of the alleged "hand-book" men arrested in the raids last summer, was entered in the United States branch of the Police Court by Attorney Campbell Carrington this morning.

In the course of his motion Attorney Carrington alleges that the information and charges against Malone are "vague, indefinite, and uncertain" that they do not specify the name of the horse on which betting is alleged to have been placed, nor the place where the race was run, and that they are not sufficiently explicit to permit of their being tried in court.

The motions in the cases of Charles and Joseph Downing, Ezra Collins, and Milton Plummer, were heard by Judge Muldowney this afternoon. All five of the men were arrested about the same time last summer, and all are charged with the same offense. Plummer having six counts against him, on one of which he has entered a plea of guilty, allowed was reduced.

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